

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the present application:

Listing of Claims:

1. – 34. (Canceled)

35. (Previously Presented) A system, comprising:

a collar, comprising:

a body configured to couple to a bone fastener such that the body, once coupled, can at least partially rotate relative to the bone fastener;

arms extending from the body, each arm comprising internal threading; and
a slot between the arms, wherein the slot is configured to receive an elongated member;

a sleeve;

wherein the collar is configured to couple to the sleeve above the elongated member; and

wherein each arm of the collar comprises a flange, wherein the sleeve comprises one or more channels, and wherein the flanges are configured to couple to the sleeve such that the sleeve can be coupled such that at least one of the channels is substantially aligned with the slot of the collar.

36. (Original) The system of claim 35, wherein the body of the collar, once coupled to the bone fastener, can at least partially angulate relative to the bone fastener.

37. (Original) The system of claim 35, wherein the internal threading of the collar is configured to couple to a closure member.

38. (Currently Amended): The system of claim 35, wherein each arm of the collar comprises a flange, wherein the flanges are configured to couple to the sleeve such that the sleeve can be coupled in a selected orientation relative to the flange.

39. – 122. (Canceled)